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Attachment

The "1 group unrecovered" in paragraph 1 of NSA's version of this translation should be "telegram."

The "25 groups unrecoverable" at the beginning of paragraph 2b should read:

"He and I should insist on MOLOTOV accepting in the first place two of our nominees from LONDON and two from POLAND."

From paragraph 3 to the end the "177 groups unrecoverable" should contain the following:

"he put forward as a compromise a third course, inviting the Polish Provisional Government representatives first and listening to what they have to say, on condition that MOLOTOV agrees, in writing, that after hearing the Polish Provisional Government each member of the Commission shall have the right to invite any democratic leaders from Poland or abroad whom he considers useful for consultation. The names of the candidates would be submitted direct to the Commission who would discuss them but if after discussion and investigation the individual commissioner still wished to extend an invitation he would be free to do so.

Mr. HARRIMAN Concludes that without contemplating a breakdown now we should pursue no course on which we should not be willing to rest our case if MOLOTOV remains adamant."

*1/2 CIA only*

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